



# News Coverage

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## Newspapers (05/05/2012)



Pages: 1, 4, 5, 6, 12.

Authors: Al-Ahram correspondents.

### **Curfew Imposed on Al-Abbasiya and Areas Surrounding MOD**



Egypt's ruling Supreme Council of Armed Forces imposed a curfew on Al-Abbasiya Square and all the streets surrounding the Ministry of Defense's headquarters between Friday 11PM and Saturday 7AM, following violent clashes between protesters and Military Police.

In a televised statement, SCAF called on all citizens to carefully follow the rules of curfew imposed, confirming that the Armed Forces will take serious measures against anyone who violates this curfew.

A military source declared that the military prosecution started to interrogate over 170 suspects accused of attempting to break into the Ministry of Defense. Violent clashes took place yesterday between protesters and Military Police and other security forces near the MOD headquarters, while Tahrir Square was calm as thousands of protesters joined the demonstrations titled "Guarding the Revolution and Ending Bloodshed."

Military Police was able to push back protesters and put an end to their sit-in after they burnt and removed their tents. Some protesters used live ammunition against army forces. When Military Police started to break up the sit-in, thousands of protesters started to run back to Al-Abbasiya Square, many of them were injured during the process.

A military source confirmed that army and police forces securing the area practiced utmost self-control, despite of the continuous provocations of protesters. Some of the protesters tried to pass the barbed wire barricade, in an attempt to reach the MOD headquarters, while others threw rocks and glass bottles on Military Police forces.



A Thunderbolt Unit soldier died after receiving a live bullet in the stomach. The number of injured protesters reached 373, 208 of them were transferred to hospitals while 165 others were treated immediately in ambulances.

Similar news was reported in: Al-Gomhoria: Pages 1, 3, 4, 5, 6; Al-Dostour: Pages 1, 4, 5, 6; Al-Tahrir: Pages 1, 2, 3; Youm 7: Pages 1, 7.

Pages: 1, 5, 6, 7,

Authors: Hamdi Dabsh, Haitham Al-Sharqawi (and others).

## SCAF Breaks Up Al-Abbasiya Sit-in

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Violence returned to Al-Abbasiya Square yesterday resulting in one soldier dead and 296 protesters injured after clashes erupted between protesters and army forces in front of the Ministry of Defense's headquarters. A number of revolutionary and Islamist forces called for demonstrations titled "Final Friday," to denounce the bloody clashes of "Al-Abbasiya massacre" in which 9 protesters were killed and to demand SCAF to hand over power to civilians. Protesters demanded an end to military rule in the country.

SCAF imposed a curfew on Al-Abbasiya neighborhood and all the streets surrounding the Ministry of Defense's headquarters. Military Police arrested around 170 protesters during the clashes. They were referred to military prosecution facing charges of attacking army personnel and attempting to break into the MOD headquarters.

Clashes began when one of the protesters passed the barbed wire barricade separating between protesters and army forces securing the area. Army soldiers immediately responded by arresting and beating this person. In turn, protesters responded by throwing rocks on army forces which started throwing rocks back at them. Military Police fired water cannons at protesters and rounds of tear gas. A number of protesters tried to put an end to the clashes by chanting "Peaceful Protest," however, all their attempts failed. After nearly two hours of the clashes, Military Police chased protesters away and burnt all their tents, amid heavy use of tear gas.

Thousands of protesters had marched to Tahrir and Al-Abbasiya squares demanding SCAF to hand over power to civilians and eliminating Article 28 of the Constitutional Declaration. They demanded bringing SCAF generals to trial over their involvement in killing peaceful civilian protesters.



In other governorates, nearly 7000 protesters marched in Alexandria to Al-Qa'ed Ibrahim Mosque and the Northern Military Zone to demand SCAF to hand over power and demand bringing to justice all those involved in killing protesters in the bloody clashes that took place on Wednesday. There were other demonstrations in Damietta, Daqahlia, Suez, Al-Qalyubia, Assiut and Qena.

Similar news was reported in: Al-Shorouk: Pages 1, 3, 4, 20.



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Author: Mohamed Ismail.

## European Parliament Delegation Visits Egypt



The European Parliament's delegation to Egypt, headed by Chairman of the Middle East Committee of the European Parliament Mario David, finished a three-day visit to Egypt. The delegation confirmed that the parliament does not support a certain party or presidential candidate. They said the parliament reaffirmed the importance of a peaceful, democratic transition of power.

Said El-Khadraoui, a member of the delegation, said in a press conference that the visit was affected by the unfortunate clashes in Al-Abbasiya. He said the aim of the visit is to understand what is happening in Egypt and discuss ways to improve investments and restore stability to the country.

Marietje Schaake, another member of the delegation, condemned the violent clashes that resulted in the injury of dozens of protesters. Schaake called for a swift handover of power to a civilian government.



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Authors: Tarek Roshdi, Mohamed Abd Al-Maqsood (and others).

### Saudi King: Ambassador Will Return to Cairo within 48 Hours



Saudi King Abdullah bin Abdul-Aziz Al Saud, Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, confirmed that Saudi ambassador will return to Cairo within 48 hours.

During his meeting with Egyptian parliamentary delegation, King Abdullah said: "Our decision to recall the ambassador and shut down the embassy was to protect its staff from any ominous consequences. What happened recently and its ramifications on the relations between the two brotherly countries hurts every Egyptian and Saudi citizen."

Saad al-Katatni, Egypt's parliamentary speaker who was heading the Egyptian delegation, told Abdullah that the ambassador's withdrawal was "hard for Egyptians".

Similar news was reported in: Al-Tahrir: Page 1; Al-Shorouk: Page 1; Youm 7: Page 3, 6; Al-Akhbar: Pages 1, 4.



Pages: 1, 3.  
Author: Ahmed Mahmoud.

## Al-Shater: MB Will Take Off to Streets If Elections Were Rigged



Khairat al-Shater, Deputy Supreme Guide of the Muslim Brotherhood, said the army was looking for “special status without transparency” long after it has handed over power.

In statements given to the Financial Times, Al-Shater said that “he suspected the military was also pushing its favourite candidates for president and warned that the Brotherhood would take to the streets “and stay there” if the presidential vote was rigged.”

Al-Shater also explained that the military is currently trying to avoid the parliament’s expected role in overseeing the army’s budget, which is estimated at 20-30% of the country’s budget.

Similar news was reported in: Youm 7: Page 7.



Page: 1.

Author: Emad Al-Din Hussein.

### Military Source: Constitution could be drafted before July 1



A military source reaffirmed that it is not allowed by any means for protesters to march to the Ministry of Defense or the “lion’s den,” as he described it.

In special statements given to Al-Shorouk newspaper, the military source confirmed that SCAF will hand over power before July 1 and that those who do not wish to see this transition of power are leading the country towards violence and chaos.

The source also said that it is still possible, despite difficulties faced, to finish drafting Egypt’s new constitution before the end of the transitional period by July 1. There is a semi agreement on a hybrid regime that balances the powers of the president, the parliament and the government, the source explained.



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Authors: Mohamed Haggag and Ahmed Agour.

### Morsi: MB Votes Will Not Be Fragmented



Dr. Mohamed Morsi, the Muslim Brotherhood’s presidential candidate, denied the rumors which claim that votes of the Muslim Brotherhood’s members will be divided between him and Dr. Abdel Moneim Aboul Fotouh.

“There is nothing true about such news and there is no room for a comparison between me and Dr. Aboul Fotouh. Each of us has his conditions, electoral platform and goals to pursue in the upcoming presidential elections,” said Morsi.

He also confirmed that the Freedom and Justice Party, political wing of the Muslim Brotherhood, has only one candidate, himself, and that he will receive the full support of all the members of the party and the organization.



Pages: 12, 13.

Authors: Fatma Baraka and Yasser Rami.

### **Moussa: Egypt Needs a Head of State Not a Man of Religion**



السيد الشار رئيس التحرير وأسرة التحرير بالبحر الأحمر خلال اللقاء مع عمرو موسى

In an interview given to Al-Akhbar newspaper, Amr Moussa, presidential candidate, said he has short-term and mid-term plans to develop the country within few years and put it back on track.

He refused proposals demanding that SCAF hands over power to a civilian presidential council, confirming his refusal that SCAF leaves before the end of the transitional period. However, he stressed that extending the transitional period will severely harm the country's future and the fate of Egyptians.

He also said that Egypt needs an experienced politician to assume presidency, not a man of religion.



## TV Coverage (04/05/2012)



**Channel: al-Hayah**  
**Program: al-Hayah al-Yom**  
**Presenter: Lubna Assal**

SCAF imposes curfew in Abbasiyah Square and the area around the Ministry of Defense from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m.

**Channel: al-Hayah**  
**Program: al-Hayah al-Yom**  
**Presenter: Lubna Assal**

Thousands of Egyptians demonstrated on the “end” Friday and headed to the Ministry of Defense.



**Channel: CH 1**  
**Program: news in 24 hours**

King of Saudi Arabia orders the return of the Saudi ambassador to Egypt by Sunday.

**Channel: CH 1**  
**Program: Egypt news**  
A soldier died and 296 people were injured during the clashes.



**Channel: CH 2**  
**Program: Egypt news**

Clashes in Khalifah al-Mamoun Street between the demonstrators and the security forces.



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## Radio Coverage (04/05/2012)



**News,  
Radio Masr,  
(25:00:00)**

A soldier was killed and 370 people injured in clashes in Abbasiya.  
The Armed Forces calls on people to respect the curfew in Abbasiya area.

SCAF imposes curfew in Abbasiya Square and the surrounding of the Ministry of Defense from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m.

Saudi King returns the Saudi Ambassador to Cairo.



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## Internet Coverage (05/05/2012)



### We are all Khaled Saeed

Before you say “yes, they deserve this” ask yourself: the criminals who were caught red-handed using birdshot pellets, swords and guns and whose photos were posted all over the internet, with their full name and address, were not arrested. Meanwhile, Israa, as many girls, were arrested and are being treated like convicts. They are held in Tora Prison or Al-Qanater Prison. Israa is just an example! [https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-prn1/549244\\_231549190282232\\_155844844519334\\_349922\\_1180481647\\_n.jpg](https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-prn1/549244_231549190282232_155844844519334_349922_1180481647_n.jpg)

Some of the girls, who were randomly detained yesterday. [https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-ash3/s720x720/533165\\_401274756589061\\_104224996294040\\_942143\\_837088059\\_n.jpg](https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-ash3/s720x720/533165_401274756589061_104224996294040_942143_837088059_n.jpg)

Freedom to Aya Kamal. [https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-snc7/s720x720/578854\\_339575222786260\\_103622369714881\\_698191\\_64172039\\_n.jpg](https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-snc7/s720x720/578854_339575222786260_103622369714881_698191_64172039_n.jpg)

Freedom to Nour Abdel-Razeq. [https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-prn1/531207\\_321731887900450\\_135955023144805\\_763776\\_2049067002\\_n.jpg](https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-prn1/531207_321731887900450_135955023144805_763776_2049067002_n.jpg)

Freedom to Mona Sami and to everyone detained without any reason. [https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-ash3/534802\\_381747311868106\\_100000985212807\\_1060199\\_594502848\\_n.jpg](https://fbcdn-sphotos-a.akamaihd.net/hphotos-ak-ash3/534802_381747311868106_100000985212807_1060199_594502848_n.jpg)

State TV: Military justice decided to release all girls arrested during the Abbasiya events yesterday.

### Egyptian Cabinet:

Planning and International Cooperation Minister Fayza Abul-Naga: Saudi Arabia will start a package of financial aid to the Egyptian government in May. Reports suggesting that the kingdom decided to suspend the package are baseless. Saudi Arabia will pump nearly one billion dollars as a deposit at the Central Bank of Egypt and has offered half of one billion dollars to support the state budget during the past period.

Agriculture Ministry: The minister approved rules governing compensations to be paid to those badly affected by the foot-and-mouth disease in the governorates.



**Muslim Brotherhood:**



### **FJP Statement on Abbassiya Violent Events**

The Freedom and Justice Party (FJP) denounces use of force in dispersing peaceful protesters in the vicinity of the Ministry of Defense and Abbassiya Square.

The FJP also denounces any clashes with members of the armed forces whose job it is to secure the Department of Defense building.

Further, the FJP affirms that the demands brought by the demonstrators in front of the Ministry of Defense agree with the demands of the million-man march held in Tahrir Square at the invitation of a number of political parties and movements, including the FJP and the Muslim Brotherhood, which ended this evening. Those are the same demands of all Egyptian people, who are determined for the presidential elections to be held on time as scheduled, in a free, fair and peaceful atmosphere.

The FJP calls on the Supreme Council of the Armed Forces (SCAF) that currently runs the country to refrain from using force in dispersing demonstrators in the vicinity of the Ministry of Defense.

Moreover, the FJP calls upon SCAF to quickly bring the perpetrators of the violent events of Abbassiya to speedy and fair trial, and to immediately release all detainees from these demonstrations including media personnel and journalists who were doing their professional duty.

The FJP reiterates its requests for the demonstrators in front of the Ministry of Defense and everywhere else to preserve the peaceful nature of their demonstrations, safeguard public facilities, not to negatively impact the interests of citizens, and to generally respect the law.

The party emphasizes that the real guarantee for the transfer of power on schedule is for the people to safeguard the forthcoming presidential elections, turn out positively to the ballot boxes and to respect the outcome of the elections.

### **Dr. Mohamed Morsi's Campaign Launches Website for the Presidential Candidate**

"The website will also be used for advertising media interviews and public events organized by the campaign, in which Dr. Morsi participates. It should also facilitate direct contact with the public to explain the electoral program and Nahda (Renaissance) Project. "We aim to communicate with the public directly through all the means available: face to face meetings in freedom squares all over the country, election rallies and conferences, through print and broadcast media, and now through this brand new website."

Dr. Abdel-Aati added that, "We are confident that the website will serve to clarify the official



position of the candidate in all the issues and developments on the arena, as well as explain and detail Nahda Project for all sectors of society directly.

"In our electoral campaign, we rely on direct persuasion through a powerful project with clear features and specific points and components, a project we have already started to implement on the ground."



**Nawara Negm Blog:**

I captured this video of the thugs. Please, watch first:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YeVFepoLNxg>

Back to the video: Amidst gunfire, I was capturing this video when suddenly one of the thugs who were present seemed familiar. I remember videoing him on July 22, 2011.

[http://3.bp.blogspot.com/-Z0Ki8ftNsdY/T6R\\_IDCP5QI/AAAAAAAAANY/IpjN\\_F4x1Dg/s1600/Screen+Shot+2012-05-05+at+2.58.26+AM.png](http://3.bp.blogspot.com/-Z0Ki8ftNsdY/T6R_IDCP5QI/AAAAAAAAANY/IpjN_F4x1Dg/s1600/Screen+Shot+2012-05-05+at+2.58.26+AM.png)

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A very clear shot of him I found on an activist website when the same guy was picking a fight with protesters in February: <http://3.bp.blogspot.com/-6X5mdRpQ8tU/T6SAli91MqI/AAAAAAAAAOI/79Ifj3kh1E/s1600/de.png>

Another photo of him published in Al-Masry Al-Yom newspaper. He is the topless guy in jeans. <http://1.bp.blogspot.com/-IB1Y8W3l->



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My account given to Reem Maged on OTV:  
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hkWFOwE38s4>

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DP6dGLMpav4>

### **Rantings of a sandmonkey:**

Abbasiya in a nutshell!

This is why the entire Abbasiya Fiasco is retarded:

1. As a general rule, as a secular revolutionary, you should never go to any protest or a sit-in that got started by Islamist protesters, especially if the goals are unclear or vague to you, because, as always, they will start it, and then once its filled with your people, they will withdraw and leave you to deal with the subsequent heat and arrests (Israeli Embassy, anyone?). This goes double for protests or sit-ins at the Ministry of Interior and/or Defense. Stick to your causes, because the islamists stick to theirs, and they are usually against you.
2. All the Twitter talking heads need to put a stop to the shaming and guilting of people that follow them or trust them to go join protests that their neither started nor control out of "principles" or "solidarity", because some other protesters that may have completely different goals than your own were clashing with the Military/Police/ People from the neighborhood/ All the aforementioned forces at once and are urging you to go stand by them in their fight. When those people, who trust you and follow you, end up going there and get arrested, injured, maimed or killed, you may not be solely responsible for what happened to them, but you do share a big share of that responsibility, and that goes double if the that person is under 21.
3. Also, when critics point out to you that you have sent those people to meet a dangerous & possibly fatal fate for no actual reason or achievable goal, you do not get to just yell at them "That this is no time for blame-placing and such talk because people are getting arrested/injured/killed" and expect them to just shut up and go away. This used to work, it no longer does, and people will call you on your bullshit. Please understand that the revolutionaries are not cowards, and they will go and face up with the military, the police, and thugs from the neighborhoods with no weapons if needs be, but there better be a real and achievable goal, and not another symbolic hollow stand-off. Their blood is not cheap, so don't help spill it for no reason, and if you do, don't you dare use it to garner sympathy with it later for your cause.
4. When you are starting a sit-in, it's always advised to keep and maintain good relations with your surrounding neighborhoods, even if they don't wish to maintain good



relations with you, and especially if your sit-in is at either the MOI or the MOD. You should also understand that no non-revolutionary ordinary Egyptian wants to see his MOI or MOD attacked, nor do they wish to have you blocking traffic and taking over parts of their neighborhood in a protest that a) they don't understand, and b) you did not bother to explain it to them, or even consult with them on the best ways to make it as painless to them as possible. If you are fighting in the name of the people, and the people don't support you, and actually send people to forcefully disband you, well, now what? How successful is your messaging, really?

5. If there is an extremely violent group of people in the sit-in- whom you don't know and never seen in any sit-in before- and they proceed to torture "criminals" or "thugs" that they have captured, well, you are either in the presence of psychos or undercover security agents. Either way, if you can't stop them, or control their actions, or in this case prevent a group of armed middle-aged salafis from using actual guns with live ammo on the residents of Abbasiya or capturing Abbasiya residents and beating them up or torturing them in their tents, well, then you should disband the sit-in and urge people to leave immediately and lead by example by leaving.
6. Also , when describing that aforementioned group, please refer to them as "a group" or "infiltrators", not as "revolutionaries", and most definitely never ever under any circumstances do you tweet "The revolutionaries are armed with guns and are shooting back at their attackers", you freakin idiot, because for the general public that means that the "Revolutionaries" are 1) no longer peaceful and 2) arming themselves, thus giving any security apparatus in the world the justification to come to the sit-in and crack skulls. Also, don't try to justify your mistake by stating that just your tweet won't be enough to indict the people arrested by the security forces, because it's not about the legal indictment to them, but rather the social indictment to all of us. We have kept arms out of the revolution because we understand that 1) this is not our game, 2) this is not what we signed up for, 3) the moment guns are in the equation we can be easily branded as terrorists and treated as such, while the worst thing they were capable of describing us as has been "saboteurs", and our trials would always end in acquittals. But armed conflict? Terrorism? That's exactly what they have been waiting for to round us all up and start the witch-hunt for real.
7. The Presidential election is in less than 3 weeks, which would mean the "end of military rule", and that such clashes are usually instigated right before the elections to get the revolutionary forces either preoccupied with fending for their lives, saving their fellow friends' lives, or boycotting the entire thing (Mohamed Mahmoud Anyone?), and then spending the next few weeks trying to get those arrested out of Prison (Every sit-in ever). Are you not noticing the pattern yet? That maybe, just maybe, you might need a new strategy? Maybe stop the sit-ins all together, since they no longer work and have stopped being anything other than death-traps? Why do you insist on competing with the Romanians for the title of most retarded revolutionaries ever? I just don't get it!



PS: If by writing this post I have betrayed the revolution or stopped being a revolutionary in your eyes, and no longer worthy of your respect, well, I find no better answer to give you than the following passage from Living in the End Times by Slavoj Zizek:

“So maybe, just maybe, I am on the right path, the path of fidelity to freedom. Fidelity should be strictly opposed to Zealotry: a Zealot fanatical attachment to his cause is nothing but a desperate expression of his uncertainty and doubt, of his lack of trust in the Cause. A subject truly dedicated to his Cause regulates his eternal fidelity by means of incessant betrayals”

In other words, you are a retarded zealot, fuck off and die.



#### **Wael Abbas:**

I want to print a list of the members of the delegation that went to suck the Saudi king's \*\*\*\* and hung on near the toilet!!!

I'm at Karthago Le Palace with two others.

<https://foursquare.com/waelabbas/checkin/4fa4fb96e4b0f902070bce4d?s=oSCkiFhzMP0uQ0Pml0EpQ9RN2F0&ref=tw>

I'm at hotel Le palace gammarth.

<https://foursquare.com/waelabbas/checkin/4fa4fbdee4b0a34ac734d776?s=isjzcsDIllsmX6FkQTiWzs1Pok&ref=tw>

El-Baradei is a jerk.

#### **Iyad elbaghdadi:**

The words "state", "regime", "government", "nation", "land", and "leader" are not synonyms. Just saying. #ArabSpring

#Egypt: I don't care who's right. You don't kill people who disagree with you or piss you off. Yes, even if they're total douchebags.

It really says something that we're arguing whether or not the sit-in was stupid, as if it's OK to kill people who are stupid. #Egypt #MOD

Heaven preserve us from putting ideology before common sense.

48% of Brits ready to emigrate overseas? <http://bit.ly/JIAX0m>



In the Church of Misogyny, the priests are female.

I regularly encounter families where the father wants his daughter to be educated, and the mother wants her to get married and sit at home.

In many cases, it's the mother (more than the father) who clips the daughter's wings by telling her what's "appropriate" and "dutiful".

This #ArabSpring is making us age beyond our years.

I have to say that I'm impressed with the #Egypt MB's economic plans. Although we're yet to see it in full.

### **Arabist:**

The Aboul Fotouh Bandwagon: <http://bit.ly/J22ZNG> Baheyya likes.

Authorized Biography | Informed Comment: <http://bit.ly/J4eRA> at the bio page for Juan Cole on his blog is over 10,000 words long.

AP: Ahmadinejad's support crumbles in Iran runoff: <http://bit.ly/KqMhx7>

### **Gsquare86:**

After denying entry to female lawyers last night at C28, military police also assaulted & arrested friends of detainees protesting this morning

The people who are standing outside the mil prosecutor demanding to free detainees from #MOD clashes are being arrested right now at #C28

So people go to protest and stand in solidarity with protesters detained, they also get detained? WTF ? #FuckSCAF #Fail

#C28 is the military prosecutor & courts in Nasr City after Ennpi (7ay el 3asher) after the buses stop.

The military personals obviously have a green light to arrest families and friends of detainees, we always go and they never do this #SCAF

300 detained in military prison for 15 days pending investigation in the #MOD clashes #Egypt

Soldiers break up protest outside military prosecution bldg held in solidarity with #Abbasiya detainees, reports of at least 5 arrests #Egypt

Abbasyia clashes at MOD - Russia Today  
[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kEz2\\_thq0KE](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kEz2_thq0KE) #NoSCAF



## ▪ Publication overview

### ❖ **Al-Ahram: Egyptian state-run official daily newspaper**

Founded in 1875, is the most widely circulating Egyptian [daily](#) newspaper, and the second oldest after al-Waqa'i`al-Masriya (English: The Egyptian Events, founded 1828). It is majority owned by the [Egyptian government](#).

### ❖ **Al-Akhbar: Egyptian state-owned semi-official daily newspaper**

It was founded in May [1952](#) as a part of [Akhbar El Yom](#).

### ❖ **Al-Gomhoria: Egyptian state-owned daily newspaper**

An influential state-owned [Egyptian Arabic language](#) daily [newspaper](#). It was established in 1954.

### ❖ **Al-Shorouk: Egyptian daily independent newspaper**

Is a prominent Arabic newspaper published in Egypt [\[1\]](#) and several other Arabic nations It is a daily independent newspaper, covering mainly politics, militant affairs and sport.

### ❖ **Al-Masry al-Yom: Independent daily newspaper**

On 7 June 2004, it published its first edition. The paper initially circulated primarily amongst Cairo's intellectual elite, providing objective news coverage in the belief that good news would beat sensationalist reporting found in other Egyptian print media. After 3 years, it was challenging *Al-Ahram* for the status of being the national paper of record. Though

### ❖ **Tahrir: Daily independent newspaper**

### ❖ **Dostor: Daily independent newspaper**

### ❖ **Yom 7: Daily independent newspaper**



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